



### Little Becomes B'field Principal

The new principal of Bloomfield Elementary School will be James Little, 1330 Maple Drive, Rochester. Little replaces Marsden Wilson, who retired in June.

Little has been director of the elementary summer school program for the past two years and he has been a teacher at Pembroke School since 1957.

He received his B.A. degree in 1957 from Michigan State University and his master of education degree in 1961 from Wayne State University.

Since coming to Birmingham in 1957, he has taught fourth, fifth and sixth grades at Pembroke. In 1961, he was appointed to serve as head teacher in addition to his regular classroom assignment.

**HIS PROFESSIONAL** association includes memberships in the Birmingham, Michigan and National Education associations. He has been an active member of the Pembroke School PTA.

Little resides with his wife and two children at their home in Rochester.

### Stretch for Boys

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Miller (who can play fullback or halfback), Mike McCasey and Don Voelker to back up the starters.

"Our line is going to be the big question mark," Lemle said. "If some of the boys come through, we could have a real good season."

Some of the linemen he will be counting on are Jacobson, an end; John Dirnbauer, tackle or center; Rick Snyder and Dick Rozek, a guard and tackle.

Lemle expects about 60 boys to try out for the team.

**EVEN A COACH** has to do homework as the football season approaches—especially when he wants to duplicate, or improve upon an 8-1 record. Here, Carl Lemle, football coach at Seaholm, brushes up on the plays he will present to his squad when practice sessions begin Aug. 26.

## Groves, Seaholm Eye Grid Season

Even before the air starts to get cool and crisp, you can find high school gridgers getting ready for the fall football season.

On Aug. 26, Groves and Seaholm high schools begin their practices, with morning and afternoon sessions scheduled until school starts.

What are the prospects for the two Birmingham teams, who will clash Friday, Sept. 13 in the first game?

**IF YOU** place a lot of emphasis on returning letterman Coach Jim Kinnison at Groves should be in good shape.

He will have 23 letterman returning, nine of which were regulars. He loses five through graduation — Lloyd Lewis, Steve Meinzinger, Greg Morris, Rick Dwyer and Tom Lindeman.

Bill Stephenson will be back at his quarterback slot; Al Proctor at halfback and Tom McKinney at guard. The threesome is expected to perform well for the Falcons this year as they did last fall.

This will be Groves' first year in the new Northwest Suburban League, which also will include Thurston, Oak Park, Livonia Franklin and North Farmington—three of which the Falcons have never played in football.

**KINNISON SAID** he plans only one major change this year.

"The season's record. This year we're going to reverse it." Last year Groves finished with a 2-7 record in the Tri-River Conference.

Over at Seaholm, Carl Lemle would be happy to duplicate his 1962 record. His team won eight, while losing just one.

Carl lost 15 boys by graduation—eight of which were starters. They were Mike Pricer, Gage Cooper, Dave Sanders, John Slater, Bob LaMarre, Bob Drothler, Jack Harvey and Jim Foster.

**LEMLE ALLOWS** that things are not as bleak as they might seem on the surface.

"I'll have 12 letterman returning, including Ken Heft, Brant Conley and Ron Jacobson. We'll have a real good backfield—every bit as good as last year or better," he said.

The coach said he expects Conley to be one of the better fullbacks in the state and John King-scott and Dick Swaney will take up the slack at halfback and quarterback.

Judging by last year's perform-

ance, Heft has to be rated as one of the best halfbacks in Michigan. He and Drothler supplied a formidable 1-2 punch in the Maple offense.

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